

Emergent Literacy for ALL!

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Learning Objectives

Participants will:

1. Have an understanding of typical literacy development and how that relates to students with significant disabilities.
2. Identify 3 alternative pencils and what students might benefit from them.
3. Identify 3 meaningful emergent writing activities.
4. Identify 3 strategies for leading a shared reading activity.

8:30-9:00 Introductions

An Overview of Typical Language & Literacy Development

Emergent Literacy: Developing a Necessary Foundation

9:00-10:00 Getting Writing on the Radar: Emergent Writing

10:00-10:15 **BREAK**

10:15-11:00 Emergent Writing Continued

11:00-12:00 Shared Writing

12:00-1:00 **LUNCH**

1:00-1:30 Alphabet Fun

1:30-2:00 Shared Reading: It's All About the Interaction!

Fostering Interactions & Critical Concepts for Emergent Readers

2:00-2:15 **BREAK**

2:15-3:30 Shared Reading Continued

Wrap Up